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Chapter 2. Definitions

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Application of definitions

Sec. 1. The definitions in this chapter apply throughout this article.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2.

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"Attorney in fact"

Sec. 2. "Attorney in fact" means the person designated to act for the principal under a power of attorney.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2.

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"Court"

Sec. 3. "Court" means the court having probate jurisdiction.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2.

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"Health care"

Sec. 4. "Health care" means any medical care, treatment, service, or procedure to maintain, diagnose, treat, or provide for the principal's physical or mental well-being. The term includes the providing of nutrition and hydration through intravenous, endotracheal, or nasogastric tubes.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2.

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"Health care provider"

Sec. 5. "Health care provider" means the physician who has primary responsibility for treating the principal and any other person administering health care to the principal who is licensed, certified, or otherwise authorized or permitted by law to administer health care in the ordinary course of business or the practice of a profession, including a pharmacist. The term includes an employee or agent of a health care provider.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2. Amended by P.L.188-1995, SEC.9.

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"Person"

Sec. 6. "Person" means an individual at least eighteen (18) years of age, a corporation, trust, limited liability company, or partnership.

As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2. Amended by P.L.8-1993, SEC.469.

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"Power of attorney"

Sec. 7. "Power of attorney" refers to all types of powers of attorney, including durable powers of attorney.
As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2.

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"Principal"

Sec. 8. "Principal" means:

- (1) an individual, including an individual acting as a:
 - (A) trustee;
 - (B) personal representative; or
 - (C) fiduciary;
- (2) a corporation;
- (3) a limited liability company;
- (4) a trust; or
- (5) a partnership;

who signs a power of attorney granting powers to an attorney in fact.
As added by P.L.149-1991, SEC.2. Amended by P.L.178-2002, SEC.107.